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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : Yoshitaka Aoyama et al.

International Application No : PCT/JP2003/009135

Title : ELECTRODE FOR PROJECTION WELDING

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Attorney Docket No. : JCLA15751

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please enter the following amendments.